

THE THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF MILLIS

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, 1916



MILLIS, MASS.:
G. W. WOOLVETT, BOOK AND JOB PRINTER,
1916

TOWN OFFICERS 1916-1917

TOWN CLERK.

LOUIS LACROIX.

TOWN TREASURER.

EVAN F. RICHARDSON

SELECTMEN.

MICHAEL H. CLANCY, 1919.
HORACE M. CUSHMAN, 1918.
GEORGE G. HOFF, 1917.

ASSESSORS.

J. ALLEN COLE, 1919.
FRANK S. HARDING, 1918.
MOSES C. ADAMS, 1917.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

ERNEST L. HILL, 1919.
HERBERT H. THORNE, 1918.
FRANK S. HARDING, 1917.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

EDWARD LACROIX, 1919.
J. ALLEN COLE, 1918.
J. CLARENCE THORNE, 1917.

LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

HERBERT H. THORNE, 1919.
LOUIS LACROIX, 1918.
EDWARD E. ADAMS, 1917.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

CHARLES LACROIX, 1919.
GEORGE G. HOFF, 1918.
MICHAEL H. CLANCY, 1917.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

HORACE M. CUSHMAN, 1919.
H. EARLE KIMBALL, 1918.
WALTER L. VANKLEECK, 1917.

CONSTABLES.

CORNELIUS J. ERISMAN, WILLIAM H. THORNE
TAX COLLECTOR.

J. CLARENCE THORNE, LAWRENCE J. REARDON
AUDITOR

TREE WARDEN.	MODERATOR
LOUIS LACROIX.	HAROLD P. WILLIAMS
FENCE VIEWERS.	
GEORGE C. THRASHER,	LEMUEL CLARK,
JOHN H. INGRAHAM,	
FIELD DRIVERS.	
WM. H. THORNE,	TIMOTHY J. McCARTHY
MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE.	
J. WARREN CLARK,	FRED J. WIGHT,
RUDOLPH F. KING.	

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.	
DENNIS J. MURPHY, 1919.	
MARTIN F. CLANCY, 1918.	
HARRY F. KING, 1917.	
LOUIS LACROIX, Clerk.	
FIRE ENGINEERS AND FOREST FIREWARDS.	
CHARLES LACROIX,	J. CLARENCE THORNE,
ALBION K. P. BARTON.	
PUBLIC WEIGHERS.	
HERBERT H. THORNE,	M. W. CUNNINGHAM,
E. J. KEITH.	
SURVEYORS OF WOOD AND LUMBER.	
H. H. THORNE,	GEO. C. THRASHER,
LEMUEL CLARK.	
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND SLAUGHTERING.	
TIMOTHY J. McCARTHY.	
SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.	
J. CLARENCE THORNE.	
CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.	
E. F. RICHARDSON, 1919.	
L. A. MANN, 1918.	
F. R. CLARK, 1917.	
SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.	UNDERTAKER AND BURIAL AGENT.
HAROLD W. WHITING.	E. F. RICHARDSON.
SPECIAL POLICE	
WM. H. THORNE,	C. J. ERISMAN
SURVEYOR OF LEATHER.	
RUDOLPH F. KING.	

THE RECORDS
OF THE
THIRTY-SECOND MUNICIPAL YEAR
ENDING DEC. 31, 1916.

First Meeting, Feb. 14, 1916.

Article 1. To choose a Moderator for one year, a Town Clerk for one year, a Town Treasurer for one year, Two Constables for one year, One Auditor for one year, One Tree Warden for one year, One Selectman for three years, One Overseer of the Poor for three years, One Assessor for three years, One School Committee for three years, One School Committee for two years, One Trustee of the Public Library for three years, One Water Commissioner for three years, One Park Commissioner for three years, One Tax Collector for one year, Three Fence Viewers for one year, Two Field Drivers for one year, Also to vote "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question, "Shall License for the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors be granted in this town?" All of the above to be on one ballot. The polls will be opened at 6.15 A.M., and may be closed at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Moderator, one year:	Selectman, three years:
Harold P. Williams 193	Michael H. Clancy 136
Town Clerk, one year:	Elmer L. Richardson 118
Louis LaCroix 211	
Town Treasurer, one year:	Assessor, three years:
Evan F. Richardson 181	J. Allen Cole 189

Overseer of Poor, three years:		Auditor, one year:
Ernest L. Hill	180	Lawrence J. Reardon 131
School Committee, three years:		Courtney C. Scott 103
Roy K. Clark	108	Tree Warden, one year:
Edward LaCroix	149	Louis LaCroix 192
School Committee, two years:		Three Fence Viewers, one year:
J. Allen Cole	187	George C. Thrasher 139
Library Trustee, one year:		Lemuel Clark 128
Herbert H. Thorne	186	John H. Ingraham 126
Water Commissioner, three years:		Two Field Drivers, one year:
Charles LaCroix	197	Wm. H. Thorne 139
Park Commissioner, three years:		T. J. McCarthy 125
Horace M. Cushman	200	Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?
Two Constables, one year:		Yes 87
Cornelius J. Erisman	175	No 133
William H. Thorne	190	
Tax Collector, one year:		
J. Clarence Thorne	190	

Evening session called to order by the Moderator at 8.04 P. M. Result of ballot declared.

Harold P. Williams as Moderator and took the chair.

Moderator appointed Finance Committee for 1916.

Osgood T. Dean, Elmer L. Richardson, Dennis J. Murphy, Roy K. Clark, Paul J. Paloski.

Art. 2. To hear and act on the reports of Town Officers and Committees.

Voted to consider and act on each report separately.

All reports accepted after Water Commissioners report was corrected to read: Loan due the Water Department from the Town for year 1923, to read \$1600, instead of \$2000, and explanations on Cemetery Commissioners financial statement.

Committee on Fire Engine House at Rockville, reported in writing. They recommend that the Town build a building for the Rockville Fire Department at a cost of \$700, as the Town is paying \$50 rental for a building that is not fit for the purpose.

Voted to accept and adopt the report.

Art. 3. To see what disposition the Town will make of the money refunded by the county on account of dog licences.

That the money refunded to the Town by the County of Norfolk on account of dog licenses to be appropriated for the expenses of the Public Library.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for Memorial Day, or act in any manner relating thereto

That the sum of \$100 be appropriated for the celebration of Memorial Day, and a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator to have charge of the celebration.

J. Warren Clark, Fred I. Wight, Rudolph F. King, Committee.

Art. 5. To appropriate money for all necessary town expenses, including a sum sufficient to pay all town officers salaries.

Voted to appropriate for
Incidentals \$2500.

Schools \$8468 and \$200 be expended from the balance of money in the Town Treasury, to purchase reference books for use in the high school; the same to be selected jointly by

the Superintendent of Schools, the High School Principal and the High School teachers.

School Transportation	\$1250.00
Roads and Bridges	2000.00
Sidewalks	150.00
Poor Department	1300.00
Tree Warden	150.00
Removal of Snow	150.00
Electric Lights	845.00
Fire Department	1000.00
Debt and Interest	8550.00

That the Water Commissioners be instructed to pay into the Town Treasury the sum of \$650.00 to take care of the requirements of the sinking fund.

Art. 6. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money for the maintenance of law and order and the suppression of the illegal sale of liquor.

That the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the maintenance of law and order and the suppression of the illegal sale of liquor.

Art. 7. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of \$587.95, authorized by the state for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths.

That the sum of \$587.95 be appropriated for the suppression of gypsy and brown tail months.

Art. 8. To see if the town will appropriate sum of \$1500.00 for the purpose of applying tarvia to the main thoroughfares of the town, or act in any manner relating thereto.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That the sum of \$1500.00 be appropriated for applying tarvia to the main thoroughfares of the town.

Art. 9. To see if the town will extend the water syste

from Mrs. R. P. Blake's driveway to the Hiram Daniels' place, so-called, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted, That the Water Commissioners be advise to confer with Mrs. Blake in relation to terms and water extension and present the matter at another town meeting.

Voted, That the Water Commissioners with three others nominated from the floor, investigate and report at next town meeting, rules to govern all extensions of water pipes in Millis.

Harold P. Williams, Osgood T. Dean, Frank S. Hoff and the Commissioners.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to appropriate sum of money to extend the tar walk on Curve street to the railroad crossing on Union street, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted to dismiss the article.

Art. 11. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money for special repairs on such streets as are selected by the Massachusetts Highway Commission acting in conjunction with the State and County, or act in any manner relating thereto.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That \$1000.00 be appropriated to be expended for special repairs on such streets as are selected by the Massachusetts Highway Commission, providing the State and County each expend the same amount on such streets.

Art. 12. To see if the town will appropriate sum of money to finish and rebuild Plain street in accordance with the decree made by the county commissioners, or act in any manner relating thereto.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated to finish and

rebuild Plain Street in accordance with the decree made by the County Commissioners.

Art. 13. To see if the town will appropriate the sum of twenty-five dollars to repair ceiling in town office, or act in any manner thereto.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That the sum of \$25.00 be appropriated to repair the ceiling of the town office.

Art. 14. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money for the use of the Public Library, or act in any manner relating thereto.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for the use of the Public Library.

Art. 15. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to publish the Assessors' valuation, or act in any manner relating thereto.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That the sum of \$100.00 be appropriated for publishing the Assessors' valuation, and the work to be done under direction of the Assessors.

Art. 16. To see if the town will accept the provisions of Section 401, Chapter 835, Acts of 1913, relating to term of office and duties of the town clerk.

Voted to dismiss the article.

Art. 17. To see if the town will build a sidewalk on Union street from Exchange to Curve street, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted to dismiss the article.

Art. 18. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to install a drinking fountain in Rockville, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted to appropriate \$20.00 to install a drinking fountain

in Rockville, the same to be under direction of the Water Commissioners.

Art. 19. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to repair bridge over the Charles River on Baltimore street, or act in any manner relating thereto.

Voted to appropriate \$200.00 to repair bridge on Baltimore street, the same to be taken from appropriations for roads and bridges.

Art. 20. To see if the town will appropriate a sum of money to gravel Exchange street from Slayton lane to Crane's corner, so-called, or act in any manner relating thereto.

No action taken.

Art. 21. That the town treasurer with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the municipal year beginning Jan. 1, 1916, to an amount not to exceed \$25000.00, and to issue a note or notes therefore, payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from revenue of said municipal year.

The committee recommends the following vote:

That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be, and hereby is, authorized to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the municipal year beginning January 1, 1916, to an amount not to exceed \$25,000, and to issue a note, or notes, therefore payable within one year; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the said municipal year.

Art. 22. To see what action the town will take to raise and appropriate \$100.00 for the George Washington Memorial building, Washington, D. C.

Voted to dismiss the article.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to install a new

trustees in the Afternoon. Her appropriate money for same, amounting to the same.

Ordered that a committee consisting of three citizens, not members of the School Committee to be appointed by the Moderator, and the School Committee to consider the sites for a new public elementary school to be selected on or before April 1.

Ordered that George C. Edwards, F. A. Lins.

Walter L. Scott, and W. W. McApparthy be a committee to consider the site of the proposed school.

Ordered that the same be named the "School Committee."

Ordered that the same be appointed in the following manner:

Walter L. Scott to be chairman and to appropriate \$1000.00 for the same. The remainder of the \$2000.00 to be apportioned by the members of the committee.

LEO J. LACROIX,
Town Clerk.

Second Meeting, March 31, 1916

Ordered that a committee on the report of the Special Committee be appointed at the last annual town meeting February 1, 1916, to consider the same, and appropriate money for the same, amounting thereto.

Ordered that a petition be presented to the town meeting that article 23 be re-adopted, and that article 24 be similarly re-adopted.

Ordered that the recommendation of the school committee be accepted, and that the sum of \$500.00 be appropriated for that purpose.

Art. 2. To see if the town will appropriate money for new bills or claim in manner and in the following:

Vote 1. That the sum of \$4,000 be appropriated for new bills.

Art. 3. To see if the town will appropriate money to build a fire engine and Union engine in the manner relating thereto.

Vote 2. That the town do so.

Art. 4. To see if the town will appropriate money to what year the new water will be completed.

Vote 3. That the town do so for money to be charged valuation list for 1871.

Art. 5. To see if the town will appropriate money to extend the water from Hiram Hill to the village of Hiram Daniel so called in Plover, in the manner and in the manner relating thereto.

The Committee appointed at the last town meeting consider and report on the following: At the time the water was applied to further extension of the water system, it was reported that it had considered the matter in the light of the policy of other Towns in this vicinity.

It believes that property owners who are not in the village of the town that water is applied to should have the privilege of obtaining from the town water at a reasonable rate. At the same time the Committee believes that in view of the cost of extending the water system to additional property is disproportionate to the value of service rendered by the water, and is greatly in excess of the cost of maintaining the water supply within said water district.

It seems reasonable therefore to the Committee that property owners who do not receive water from the water system for their benefit but live in the west district should pay for a reasonable period a sum in excess of that charged to

takers within said water district. The Committee feels that if an annual sum equal to six (6) per cent of the cost of extending the system is paid by the takers for a period of ten (10) years from the time of inscription, this sum would pay for the water used during the said period and would also reimburse the Town to some extent for interest paid on monies expended in making such extension.

The Committee therefore recommends that the Town adopt a general policy of charging 6 per cent of the cost of extension and installation for a period of ten years to all takers who hereafter apply for extensions outside of said water district and further recommends that the Water Board be authorized to enter into contract with such taker whereby such taker shall guarantee the payment of such a sum for said period of ten years.

As it is the belief of the Committee that this 6 per cent guaranteed payment will to some extent reimburse the Town for the expense of extension of its water system, the Committee recommends that, when there is more than one taker of water on an extension, all of the takers on such extension shall jointly pay a sum equal to 6 per cent of the investment of the Town in the extension and if the quantity of water taken on one extension is sufficient to pay for at the regular water rates to provide Town a sum equal to said 6 per cent on its investment, then all water taken above such quantity shall be paid for at the regular water rates. It being the belief of the Committee that the Town should in any event receive a sum equal to 6 per cent, and as much more as the quantity of water used would enable it to receive charging for said water at the regular rate.

Respectfully submitted

C. LACROIX
G. G. HORN

M. H. Johnson
H. D. Wren
G. T. Lovell
F. S. Hough

That the sum of \$1000 be appropriated to Mr. Blake, Brown, & Hough, to be used to defray the expenses of the Water Commission in the discharge of their duties appropriate to the year 1871.

Report of the Finance Committee, at the Annual Town Meeting, March 10, 1872.

Article 1. The Committee on Finance, voted

That the sum of \$1000 be appropriated and expended by the Water Commission for the purpose of defraying their expenses.

Art. 2. To assess a tax of \$1000.

That sum of \$400 be appropriated to the State.

Art. 3. The Committee on Finance, voted

That sum of \$225 be appropriated to be expended on Curve and Union streets.

Art. 4. The Committee on Finance, voted

That the Assessors be directed to assess the property for the year 1871, as printed.

Art. 5. The Committee on Finance, voted

That the water system be overhauled by the firm of Mrs. Blake, known as the Hiram Blake & Son, at a satisfactory agreement, and be paid for by the Water Commission. That the sum of \$1000 be appropriated for the expense of same.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money will be necessary to complete the salary of the Board of Firemen, and to pay the expenses relating thereto.

No action taken.

Art. 7. To grant money appropriated in the foregoing articles.

Voted. To grant the sum of \$1200.00 to meet appropriations in foregoing articles.

Adjourned.

Louis LACROIX

Town Clerk.

Result of the vote in the Ninth Norfolk Representative District Nov. 7, 1910:

For one Representative to the General Court

	Harold L. Pettin	Blanks	Total
Wellesley.			
Medfield	243	77	320
Medway	281	269	450
Dover	125	53	178
Norfolk	192	78	270
Wellesley	751	211	962
Millis	105	122	227
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Louis LACROIX

Town Clerk.

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

THE 1960 CAMPAIGN

Delegates at Large

Delegates at Large - Democratic

Delegates at Large - Democratic 11
O'Neill, 10; Hunt, 1; Gandy, 1; Johnson, 1
10

Alternate Delegates at Large 11
Edmund D. Gandy, 10; Gandy, 1; Hunt, 1

Delegates at Large - Group 1
Handlery, 1

District Delegates - Group 1

Alternate District Delegates - Group 1
Thomas J. O'Brien, 1

Republican

Delegates at Large - Group 1
Clark, 1; Sumner, 1; Biddle, 1; Hunt, 1; Gandy, 1
M. Washburn, 1

Delegates at Large - Group 2
Henry Cabot Lodge, 1; John W. Weeks, 1; W. C. Gandy, 12

Alternate Delegates at Large - Group 1
Gregory, 21; Lorraine, 1; William, 1; Hunt, 1
William M. Armstrong, 22

Alternate Delegates at Large - Group 2
John Louis A. Frettingham, 4; John S. Keith, 1; Frank W. Stearns, 4

District Delegates - Group 1
John Randolph, 1; John H. Williams, Jr., 1
25; Frank H. Bates, 25

District Delegates, Group 2—George H. Doty, 35; Martin Hays, 35.

Alternate District Delegates—E. Mark Sullivan, 18; Clifford S. Cobb, 19.

Alternate District Delegates—Llewellyn E. Pulsifer, 41; Fred H. Williams, 40.

STATE PRIMARY

TERMINAL CITY, CALIFORNIA

Results of the Ballot

Republican

Governor—Samuel W. H. Bell 11
Lieutenant Governor—Edmund G. Ladd 11
Secretary—Albert P. Landis 4
Treasurer—Charles L. Burritt 4
Auditor—Joseph B. Leonard 11
Attorney-General—Henry C. Tracy 11
Senator in Congress—Henry C. Tracy 4
Congressman—William H. Gray 11
Councillor—Richard F. Atkins 11
Senator—Orion T. Mann 25
Joseph E. Starnes 11
Hartley L. White 11
Representative in General Court—Hartley L. White 11
County Commissioners—Floyd M. Bowker 11
Associate Commissioner—Allison L. Billard 11
District Attorney—Frederick G. Katorman 11
Clerk of Courts—Louis A. Clark 11
Register of Deeds—John H. Lindholm 11
State Committee—Horatio L. Thompson 11
State Convention—Reo K. Clark 11
Town Committee—Millard E. Ladd 11
P. H. Clark 37, Rudolph F. King 11, Hart M. F. Williams 11
Frank S. Hoff 37, Heribert M. Cushman 11, James A. Mc-
Kenney 11, Edward R. Aiken 11, May Nita 11, Fred
B. Roach 11, Walter A. Washburn 11

Democratic

Governor—Charles H. Cole, 4; Frederick W. Mansfield,

11.

Lieutenant-Governor—Thomas P. Riley, 17.

Secretary—Leon R. Evges, 16.

Treasurer—Henry N. Teague, 17.

Auditor—John B. N. Souliere, 15.

Attorney General—Joseph Joyce Donahue, 17.

Senator in Congress—John F. Fitzgerald, 17.

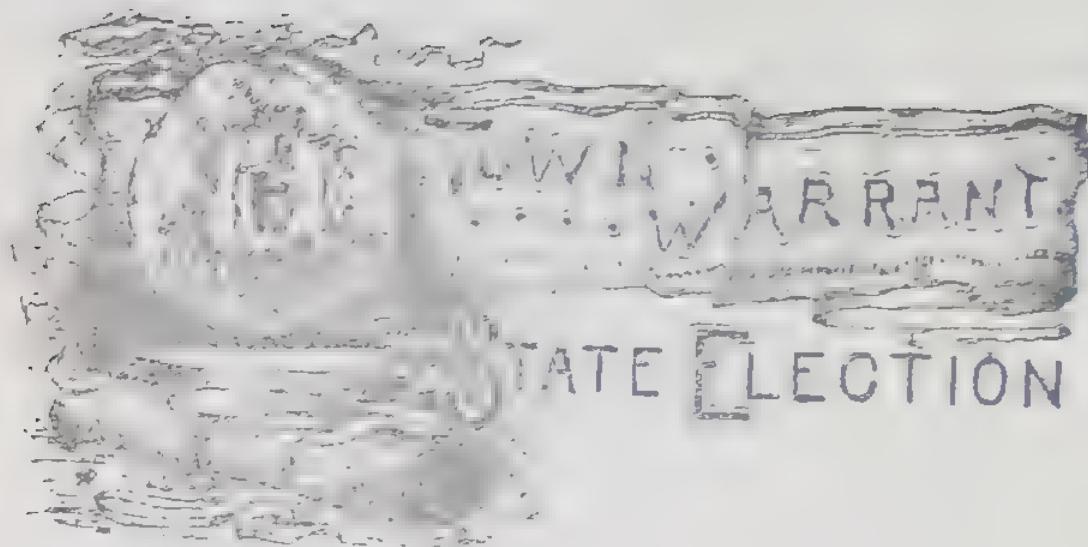
Congressman—William H. Murphy, 10.

District Attorney—Chester W. Ford, 12.

State Committee—John C. Donnelly, 15.

State Convention—George C. Thrasher, 16.

Town Committee—Cornelius J. Erismor, 18; Jeremiah Sheehan, 15; J. Thomas Toner, 15; John H. McMahon, 14; Elmer O. Jillson, 11; Edward J. Tighe, 11; George W. Monill, 11; Frank S. Harding, 11; George C. Thrasher, 13; Orville P. Dimon, 12; Martin F. Clancy, 12; Joseph Duhamel, 11; Dennis J. Murphy, 11.



TUESDAY, Nov. 7, 1916

Result of vote as declared:

Electors of President and Vice-President—

Benson and Kilpatrick, Socialist

Hanly and Landrith, Prohibition

Hughes and Fairbanks, Republican

Reimer and Harrison, Socialist Labor

Wilson and Marshall, Democratic

Blanks

Governor

James Hayes of Plymouth, Socialist Labor

Chester R. Lawrence of Boston, Prohibition

Samuel W. McCall of Winchester, Republican

Frederick W. Mansfield of Boston, Democratic

Dan A. White of Brockton, Socialist

Blanks

Lieutenant-Governor—

Calvin Coolidge of Northampton, Republican

Alfred H. Evans of Hadley, Field, Jr.	4
S. Lester J. McBride of Watertown, Soc. Dist.	7
Thomas J. Maher of Melrose, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Thomas P. Riley of Malden, Dist. 1	24
Blanks	28
Secretary	
Thomas P. Harrington of Salem, Soc. Dist. 1	8
Levi R. Biggs of Franklin, Soc. Dist. 1	7
Levi Adams Green of Boston, Soc. Dist. 1	7
Albert P. Langdon of Springfield, Soc. Dist. 1	141
Blanks	
Treasurer	
Charles L. Burnell of Boston, Kep. public at	120
Fredrick L. Collier of Peabody, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Leon K. Sheldon of Cambridge, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Henry N. Taggart of Wilmot, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Blanks	4
Auditor	
Joseph Peacock of Boston, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Frank Bohmbeck of Boston, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Alvin B. Cook of Boston, Payable in	144
John B. N. Sullivans of Worcester, Soc. Dist. 1	12
Blanks	1
Attorney General	
Henry C. Atwell of Lynn, Soc. Dist. 1	120
Joseph J. Conahan of Melrose, Soc. Dist. 1	7
Joseph J. of Milford, Soc. Dist. 1	1
John W. P. Sherman of Boston, Soc. Dist. 1	1
Blanks	
Commonwealth	
John F. French of Pittsfield, Soc. Dist. 1	115
Henry C. of Ridgefield, Conn., Soc. Dist. 1	143
William N. McDonald of Northampton, Soc. Dist. 1	1

Blanks	14
Congressman, Thirteenth District—	
William H. Carter of Needham, Republican	17
William H. Murphy of Marlborough, Democrat	17
Blanks	25
Councillor, Second District	
Richard F. Andrews of Boston, Republican	157
Blanks	117
Senator, Norfolk District—	
Orion T. Mason of Medway, Republican	157
Blanks	117
Representative in General Court, North Norfolk District—	
Harold L. Penn of Wellesley, Republican	16
Blanks	122
County Commissioner, Norfolk County	
Everett M. Bowker of Brockton, Republican	122
Blanks	12
Two Associate Commissioners, Norfolk County	
Arthur B. Hayward of Braintree, Independent	
Citizen	17
Addison E. Bullard	1
Michael H. Clancy	1
Frank S. Heif	1
Blanks	17
District Attorney, Southeastern District—	
Chester W. Ford of Rockland, Democratic	17
Frederick G. Kuzniar of Weymouth, Republican	17
Robert A. Nutting of Brockton, Socialist	1
Blanks	12
Clerk of Courts, Norfolk County—	
Louis A. Cook of Weymouth, Republican	158
Blanks	118

Register of Deeds, Norfolk County	
Edward L. Burdakin of Dedham, Republican	152
Blinks	137
“Shall there be a convention to revise, alter or amend the constitution of the Commonwealth?”	
Yes	100
No	63
“Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, to make the first day of January, known as New Year's Day, a legal holiday, be approved and become law?”	
Yes	146
No	49
“Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and sixteen, entitled An Act to prevent the voters of one political party from voting in the primaries of another political party, be approved and become law?”	
Yes	99
No	73

Louis LACROIX,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS

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June	10	William F. Bayard	Rev. W. B. M. AND WILL F. MARTIN
July	11	Augusta Chapman	Rev. R. R. Newell
		Thomas J. Conley	Rev. J. M. Richardson
		Frank C. Chobert	Rev. J. M. Richardson
		Donald A. Whiting	Rev. A. B. Woodard
		Edgar L. Minge, Jr.	Rev. A. B. Woodard
Aug.	12	John P. F.	Rev. A. B. Woodard
		John N. Wade	Rev. A. B. Woodard
		Joseph F. Moran	Rev. M. J. Lee
		Josephine J. H.	Rev. M. J. Lee
		Joseph F. Harrington	Rev. M. J. Lee
		John C. Conant	Rev. M. J. Lee
		Herbert L. Monell	Rev. A. B. Woodard
		Joseph F. White	Rev. M. J. Lee
		Mr. Fred L. Clegg	Rev. M. J. Lee
		Rev. M. J. Lee	Rev. M. J. Lee
		Alfred J. Sheppard	Rev. J. P. French
		Alvin L. Beckwith	Rev. J. P. French
		William Richardson	Rev. J. P. French
		Amelia M. Marion	Rev. J. P. French
		William F. Chapman	Rev. M. J. Lee
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July	11	Rev. W. B. M. AND WILL F. MARTIN	Rev. W. B. M. AND WILL F. MARTIN
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PLATE I. *ANNUAL*

DATE	NAME	SEX	AGE	WEIGHT	WEIGHT	NAME	SEX	AGE	WEIGHT
Feb.	12	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Feb.	13	Female	1	17	17	Woods	Female	1	17
Feb.	14	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Mar.	15	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
April	16	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
June	17	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Aug.	18	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Aug.	19	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Sept.	20	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Oct.	21	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Oct.	22	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Oct.	23	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17
Nov.	24	Male	1	17	17	Woods	Male	1	17

PLATE I. *ANNUAL* *WILDFOWLS*

DATE	NAME	SEX	AGE	WEIGHT	NAME	SEX	AGE	WEIGHT	NAME
Feb.	10	Male	16	21	Sarah L. Leggin	Female	16	21	II. Wildfowl
Feb.	11	Male	16	21	Tom M. Kennedy	Male	16	21	II. Wildfowl
Mar.	12	Male	16	21	Perry Johnson	Male	16	21	II. Wildfowl
July	13	Male	16	21	William Newland	Male	16	21	II. Wildfowl
July	14	Male	16	21	Law C. Riegel	Male	16	21	II. Wildfowl
July	15	Male	16	21	Viola A. Gately	Female	16	21	II. Wildfowl
Aug.	16	Male	16	21	Mary A. Roberts	Female	16	21	II. Wildfowl
Sept.	17	Male	16	21	John F. Snow	Male	16	21	II. Wildfowl
Oct.	18	Male	16	21	William F. Hamling	Male	16	21	II. Wildfowl
Nov.	19	Male	16	21					



THE SELECTMEN'S REPORT

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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Rockville District

Man - His Environment

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Scraping and Patching

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Nov. 8 E. L. Richardson team and
gravel \$1.25
E. L. Richardson rep. iron bridge 25
 only it 1.50
 team 1.50
 total bill 5.00
 total 5.00

Graveling Pleasant Street

E. L. Richardson	team	\$0.75
Elwin White labor	1/2 day	1.25
Robert Wiggin	labor	1.25
Frank Brum	team	1.50
team	1/2 day	1.25
gravel	1/2 day	1.25
total		4.40
J. A. Clark	team	1.25
	<i>total</i>	5.143.45

Graveling Village and Pleasant

Nov. 8 Robert Wiggin labor	1/2 day	\$1.25
Elwin White labor 1/2 day	1.25	
Frank Brum	team	1.50
team	1/2 day	1.25
Total		2.75
Thorne Brum gravel 1/2 day		
E. L. Richardson labor and team		32.00
		\$126.75
Oct. 25 C. A. Willis labor and team \$2.00		
		\$18.33

Scraping

May 15 Thorne Brum men 1/2 day	\$79.25
team 1/2 day	100.00
L. C. Thorne supt. 6 1/2 days	10.50
S. A. Clark team 1/2 day	5.00

T. H. Cassidy, team 22 3 days 11 2

" men 22 3 " 4 5

— — — \$221 45

Auburn and Pleasant

Thorne Bros. men 12 days 514 25

" teams 12 " 11 5

J. C. Thorne, Sept. 2

H. F. Richardson, team 1

W. A. Clark, 17 loads gravel

— — — \$2 45

Main.

Thorne Bros. team 2 days 51 25

" men 2 " 4

J. C. Thorne, Sept. 1

Thorne Bros. 1 tool, gravel 1

— — — \$18 15

Village.

Thorne Bros. men 12 1/2 days 512 35

" teams 12 " 11 5

J. C. Thorne, Sept. 1

T. DeAngelis, team 1 1/2

— — — \$21 25

Fatching Rockville District.

Thorne Bros. team 7 hours 51 25

" men 1 1/2 days 2 5

— — — \$11 25

Forest.

Thorne Bros. men 12 1/2 day 515 25

" teams 3 " 15

J. C. Thorne, Sept. 1

T. DeAngelis, team 1 1/4 1 25

J. C. Thorne, gravel 2 loads 2 25

— — — \$42 75

Black Swamp.

Thorne Bros. men 11 days	\$23.25
" teams 2 1/2 days	12.50
J. C. Thorne, Supt. 1 1/2 "	4.75
T. DeAngelis, team 1 1/2 "	7.50
E. F. Richardson, team 1 "	5.00
S. A. Clark " 1 "	0.00
Thorne Bros. paint	0.75
	————
	\$67.40

Wight and Dover.

Thorne Bros. men 10 1/2 days	\$32.25
" teams 8 1/2 "	20.00
J. C. Thorne, Supt. 1 "	12.00
T. DeAngelis, team 2 "	10.00
Dr. Detrie, 72 loads gravel	7.20
J. H. Sherman, sharpening picks 2.55	
	————
	\$69.15

Chas. J. Jacobs balance due on	
Dover St. bridge	\$11.99
Good Road Machinery Co.	
road drag	14.00
	————
	\$25.99

Causway and Middlesex.

Thorne Bros. men 17 days	\$126.83
team 18 1/2 days	92.50
J. C. Thorne, Supt. 11 "	30.00
T. DeAngelis, team 7 "	35.00
S. A. Clark " 6 "	30.00
T. H. Cassidy, " 7 "	35.00
L. Clark " 6 "	30.00
E. O. Houghton, 72 loads gravel	9.00
	————
	\$391.93

Holliston and Sherborn Roads; Spring and Union

Thorne Bridge, man 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, man 22 days	57, 27
J. C. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
J. A. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27

Union

Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
J. C. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27
J. C. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27
T. H. C. 22 days	57, 27
J. A. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
J. H. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27

Baltimore Bridge

C. L. M. 22 days	57, 27
H. A. M. 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
J. C. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
J. A. C. 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27

Ridge St. Bridge

Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
Thorne Bridge, 22 days	57, 27
J. C. Thorne, 22 days	57, 27

J. A. Cole, 1 day	4.00
Thorne Bros., 5 stringers	27.50
	<u>-</u>
	\$42.50

Williams and Dwight Bridges.

H. A. Morse, lumber	537.75
L. Clark, stringers	16.50
Thorne Bros., spikes	4.00
J. A. Cole, labor	17.50
	<u>-</u>
	\$59.75

\$2000.00

Balance 1.00

Main St. Special.

July 6.	Thorne Bros. men 97 1/2 days	\$216.88
	team 35 1/2	177.50
	J. C. Thorne, Supt. 11 1/2 days	34.50
	T. DeAngles, team 16 1/2	57.50
	S. A. Clark 1/2 6	30.00
	T. H. Cassidy 1/2 10	80.00
	S. A. Clark, 210 loads gravel	40.00
	Dr. Defries, 15	1.50
	N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., height	141.00
Aug. 13	New Haven Trap Rock Co.	246.83
Sept. 5	Thorne Bros. men 125 1/2 days	316.48
	Thorne Bros. teams 37 days	185.00
	J. C. Thorne, Supt. 16 1/2 days	49.50
	T. DeAngles 1/2 12	2.50
	T. H. Cassidy, 1/2 12	2.50
	S. A. Clark, 36 loads gravel	3.00
	Engineer, 13 days	0.80
	Freight trap rock	321.62
		\$1,477.53

Deacon	T. H. Deacon	Deacon	Deacon
T. DeAngelo			
J. A. Clark			
Thorne Bros.			
	W. H. Thorne	W. H. Thorne	W. H. Thorne
	John Thorne	John Thorne	John Thorne
	Engines	Engines	Engines
	S. A. Clark	S. A. Clark	S. A. Clark
	C. F. Simpson	C. F. Simpson	C. F. Simpson
	Thorne Bros.	Thorne Bros.	Thorne Bros.
	Water Works	Water Works	Water Works
	Thorne Bros.	Thorne Bros.	Thorne Bros.
	J. A. Clark	J. A. Clark	J. A. Clark
	L. H. Sloman	L. H. Sloman	L. H. Sloman
	Thorne Bros.	Thorne Bros.	Thorne Bros.
	Standard Oil	Standard Oil	Standard Oil
	Benton Mine	Benton Mine	Benton Mine

Take a look at the [state partition](#) of

Appropriation
County
State
Street Roads, L. &
Leverett

Plain St. Special

T. C. Thorne Supt. 10 days	10.00
T. DeAngelis team in 12 days	17.50
T. H. Cassidy	3.12
Thorne Bros. 50 loads gravel	53.00
T. H. Shannon sharpening tools	3.80

REFERENCES

Sidewalks.

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Special Larvia.

Long & May 100 \$7,385
Fresno 12,22

Thorne Bros. men 89 1-2 days	227 64
" team 40 1-2	202 77
J. C. Thorne, Supt. 16 1-2	49 30
T. DeAngelis, team 16 1-2 days	52 50
T. H. Cassidy, " 3 1-2	17 50
S. A. Clark, " 3 1-2 "	17 2
S. A. Clark, 127 loads gravel	19 7
Dr. Detreitz, 12 loads	1 2
Freight	76 47
Barrett Mfg. Co.	22 44

Appropriated

Balance

Law and Order.

W. H. Thorne street duty	\$24 00
C. J. Etisman,	15 00

Appropriation

Balance

Town Office Special

F. M. Leland, plastering	\$25 00
Appropriation	25 00

Street Light Special.

Appropriation	\$545 00
Edison Elec. Co.	100 00

Balance

State Aid.

Clara F. Daggett	\$72 00
Geo. L. Myers	50 00
— —	\$122 00

Special Rockville Watering Trough.

Edwin Waite, labor	\$4.00
C. A. Willis, "	4.00
C. E. Simpson, "	12.00

\$20.00

20.00

Appropriation**Assessors, Special.**

G. W. Woolvett, 450 reports	\$90.00
M. C. Adams, copying valuation	10.00

\$100.00

100.00

Appropriation**Gypsy Moth.**

Mar. 5. E. L. Coldwell, 3 days	\$9.00
" car fare to Cambridge	1.42
" filing saws	3.00
" stamps	2.50
" car fare to Boston	1.12

\$17.04

Mar. 18. E. L. Coldwell, 4 days	\$12.00
Fitzheny Guptil Co., sprays	250.00
" 200 feet	
hose and nozzle	58.00
T. E. Welch Co., 4 springs	14.00
E. L. Coldwell, freight	1.98
J. H. Shannon, labor	9.80

245.78

Apr. 18. E. L. Coldwell, 21 hours	\$7.88
" supplies	0.47
Martin King, 21 hours	5.92
Chester LaCroix, 17 hours	4.79
E. L. Coldwell, labor	6.57

Martin King, Libor

May 12	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	25
	Martin King, 44000	
	Chester LaCroix, 44000	
	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	
	Martin King, 44000	
	Chester LaCroix, 44000	
	E. L. Coldwell, her 44000	
May 15	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	25
	Martin King, 44000	
	Fitz Darr, 44000	
	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	
May 22	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	25
	Martin King, 44000	
May 25	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	25
	horse here	
	E. L. Coldwell, 44000	
	W. H. Holbrook, 44000	
	M. L. King, 44000	

June 10	E. L. Coldwell, 2 1/2 days	\$7.50
	" horse hire	0.00
	M. L. King, 1 1/2 days	0.93
		—
		12.43
June 17	E. L. Coldwell, 3 1/2 days	\$16.50
	horse hire	5.25
	M. L. King, 3 1/4 days	7.48
	Lloyd King, 4 1/4	9.27
	W. H. Holbrook gasoline	1.49
	Fitzhenry Guptill co. supplies	12.11
	Commonwealth of Mass. land	25.00
		—
		81.44
June 24	E. L. Coldwell, 5 days	\$16.00
	M. L. King, 3 1/2	8.28
	Lloyd King, 2 days	12.80
	E. L. Coldwell horse hire	7.00
	leaves	0.40
	M. L. King bagging	8.00
	standing grass	2.00
	rent of stable	10.00
		—
		57.90
July 1	E. L. Coldwell, 3 1/2 days	\$16.50
	Lloyd King, 5 1/2	12.75
	E. L. Coldwell horse hire	8.25
	W. H. Holbrook gasoline	2.27
	C. W. Wadsworth 200 posters	1.00
	L. H. Shannon tools and bolts	1.00
		—
		46.52
July 8	E. L. Coldwell 3 2/3 days	7.50
	horse hire	8.63
	supplies	2.00
	Lloyd King, 3 6/8 day	0.88
		—
		27.00

Dec. 2	E. L. Coldwell, 3 4-8 days	10.50
	Ralph Choate, " " "	7.50
	Geo. LaCroix, " " "	2.50
	E. L. Coldwell, supplies	70
		\$21.20
Appropriation		1587.95
E. L. Coldwell		57.38
Dunham estate		2.94
Assessment		617.73
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		\$1265.70
Money spent		1262.26
Appropriation		1205.70
Balance		\$3.44

Snow.

Appropriation		\$550.00
Frank Braun, team		\$1.11
E. L. Richardson, team		5.95
Nesbit Clark,		8.80
Herbert Wiggin, labor		10.35
Henry Owens, "		1.55
C. A. Willis, "		10.35
Frank A. Smith		2.93
Edwin E. Waite,		10.80
Frank Braun, team		25.47
William Thomas, labor		50
Thorne Bros. teams		192.50
men		154.00
J. C. Thorne, Supt.		45.00
M. J. Martin on, labor		19.00
E. Simpson, "		15.00
O. Simpson, "		19.00
E. F. Richardson, "		2.00

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G. L. French - Auditor

M. L. & A. C. - Auditor of the

Supplies

F. C. Thomas - Tax Collector

Samuel Farnie - Trustee

Other

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A. C. - C. C. & S. D. - Auditor

Compt. reports

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F. L. M. - C. C. & S. D. - Auditor

V. H. - Slaughterhouse

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C. L. Smith - Finance Commt

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F. L. Richardson - express

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R. F. King	Ballet Clerk	2 00
G. C. Thrasher	"	2 00
H. F. Hood	"	2 00
D. J. Murphy	"	2 00
T. J. McCarthy	Slaughter Inspector	2 00
		500 00
May 15	T. J. McCarthy, Slaughter Inspector	\$32 00
	Edison Elec. Ill. Co. town office	1 20
	N. Y. N. H. & H. R. Railroad Cliquot ditch 1915	1 00
	E. L. Burdiken abstracts	1 00
	A. W. Brownell printing	12 00
	M. W. Cunningham clearing rubbish	1 15
		500 00
June 2	Elmer A. Lord, insurance	\$100 00
	Edison Elec. Ill. Co. town office and library	1 00
	W. H. Thorne, McDonald case	1 20
	posting Ma-	
	Kensie's house	25
	Michi case	1 00
	automobile acci-	
	dent	1 00
	Greek restaurant	5 00
		500 00
June 20	F. S. Harding, Assessor	\$27 00
	W. H. Thorne Michi case	4 22
	C. J. Erisman killing mad dog	1 00
		500 00

July 6.	T. J. McCarthy, Slaughter Inspector	25 00
	Carter Ink Co.	75
	G. W. Woolvett, 50 postal cards	1 25
	W. H. Thorne, Micchi case	14 78
	Oscar Pond, police July 4	5 00
	L. Brunelli "	2 50
	D. J. Murphy, "	5 00
	John Ward, Jr., "	5 00
	Elmer Jillson, "	5 00
	R. F. King, "	5 00
	W. H. Thorne, "	5 00
	C. J. Erisman, "	5 00
		—
		\$79 28
Aug. 1.	T. H. Cassidy, damages	\$25 00
	H. M. Cushman, 3 badges	2 50
	N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., rent	
	Clicquot ditch	1 00
		—
		\$28 50
Aug. 15.	Edison Elec. Ill. Co., town office	60
	F. S. Harding, Assessor	35 50
	T. J. McCarthy, Slaughtering	33 50
	W. H. Thorne, Dineen case	5 62
	" Flanagan case	5 72
	J. Allen Cole, Assessor	95 00
	C. M. Cushman, auto	12 00
		—
		\$188 94
Sept. 5.	New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., town office	\$1 40
	C. E. Simpson, Rockville watering trough	11 15
	W. H. Thorne, trip to Rockville	1 00
	" McKenzie auto	2 00

W. H. Dyer - Wm. Dyer

	Edison Elec. & Co. (town office)	\$ 1.00
		50 2
Nov. 1	W. H. Thorne, cash hardware	\$ 2.00
	Raymond lace	12.00
	candy	8.00
	graphite	4.75
	T. J. McCarthy, Slaughter In-	
	spected	10.00
		50 7
Nov. 2	New England Tel. & Tel. co.	
	New Haven R. R. freight	1.00
	D. P. L. Hill, attending R.	
	Raymond at lockup	1.00
	Edison Elec. & Co. (town	
	office and library	50
	W. H. Thorne, telephone	1.00
	telephone equipment	1.00
	Mckenzie auto	1.00
	W. H. Thorne, mowing R.	
	Premont	1.00
	W. H. Thorne, lockup	4.00
	hardware - km	2.00
	lockup	1.00
	in street	1.00
	postage - V. M. A. M.	2.00
	L. L. King, ladder	1.00
	D. L. Murphy, Bellavista	1.00
	G. C. Finsher, ladder	4.00
	L. L. Hoy	5.00
	H. L. Hoy	2.00
	Lloyd King	2.00
		50 0
Nov. 3	M. C. Adam, V. M. A. M.	
	photographic prints	\$ 1.00

	Norfolk County Commissioners	3.00
	T. J. McCarthy, Slaughter Inspector	20.00
		— \$45.76
Dec. 1.	E. LeCroy, labor and supplies Rockville Watering Trough	1.00
	Edison Elec. H. C., town office and library	1.00
	W. H. Thorne, paying town warrants	2.00
		— \$4.00
Dec. 10.	Louis LaCroix, Town Clerk and expenses	1.00
	Louis LaCroix, securing and re- cording vital statistics	1.00
	Louis LaCroix, for telephone "umbrella"	1.00
	Dennis J. Murphy, Register	1.00
	Martin Clancy	1.00
	Harry King	1.00
	S. H. Frink, care town office	12.00
	Grange Hall Association rent	1.00
	G. G. Hoff, heating upstairs	1.00
		— \$25.00
Dec. 28.	T. J. McCarthy, Slaughter Inspector	5.00
	W. H. Thorne, street duty	4.00
	E. F. Richardson, Treasurer "office expense"	2.00
	G. G. Hoff, Selectman	1.00
	H. M. Cushman	1.00
	M. H. Clancy	1.00
	G. G. Hoff, expenses	2.00

H. P. Williams, moderator	10.00	
	—	\$468.16
Total		\$2817.04
Appropriated	\$2500.00	
Court fees, license, etc.	331.54	\$2831.54
	—	
Balance		\$14.50

GEORGE G. HORN,
 HORACE M. CUSHMAN
 MICHAEL H. CLANCY
 Selectmen

LIST OF JURORS.

Bernard P. Post, farmer, Main street
George F. Stinson, retired, Main street
George C. Thrasher, farmer, Main street
Herbert Wiggin, farmer, Pleasant street
Frank R. Clark, merchant, Exchange street
Frank S. Hoff, Clerk, Liverlet street
George C. Cook, laborer, Main street
Charles M. Choate, farmer, Main street
John H. McMahon, laborer, Main street
Thomas J. Clancy, laborer, Main street
George K. Shepardson, laborer, Adams street
Elmer L. Richardson, farmer, Myrtle street

G. G. Hoff

H. M. Cushing

M. H. Clancy

Chairman

REPORT OF THE WATER COMMISSIONERS.

TO THE CITIZENS OF MILLIS.

The following is the amount of the sinking fund, of the water works:

Franklin Savings bank	\$100.00
Newton	65.84
Medway	31.41
Natick	112.00
Uxbridge	6.27
	\$300.32

Money loaned to the town on bond:

Date issued	Due	
Jan. 1, 1911, Town of Millis	Dec. 1, 1917	\$2,000.00
"	1918	200.00
"	1919	200.00
Dec. 1, 1910	1925	500.00
Oct. 1, 1911	1925	1000.00
Sept. 1, 1911	1925	1000.00
Dec. 1, 1910	1923	1400.00
Jan. 30, 1914	1928	1000.00
Dec. 1, 1915	1917	520.00
"	1918	520.00
"	1919	320.00
"	1920	320.00
		\$12,180.00

Hubbard, Williams and Hayden, sinking fund,

Medway Savings bank 1164.04

F. W. Moon: Mother's Little Book

F. P. Blake

H. R. Brown

Mrs. C. M. Clegg

Winter Pictures - 1890

January

February

March

April

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G. G. Horn, Water Receiver
In account with the Town of Millet, Me. - Water Department

	Dr.
Appleyard, A. L.	\$22.00
Albert, A. A.	12.00
Adams, F. S.	12.00
Adams, A. C.	14.00
Adams & Backwell	1.00
Adams, M. C.	24.00
Adams, D. S.	12.00
Andrews, Mrs. W. estate	10.00
Allard, Mrs. J.	12.00
Baker, Mrs. J. H.	12.00
Bed J.	12.00
Bell, A. W.	12.00
Brown, M.	12.00
Brown, S.	12.00
Burnt, W. I.	12.00
Burnt, A.	12.00
Burnt, M. A.	12.00
Brum, A.	12.00
Brum, A.	12.00
Clark, F. P.	12.00
Clark, J. W.	12.00
Clark, Mat.	12.00
Clark, S. A.	18.00
Clark, E. N.	12.00
Clark, J. F.	12.00
Cunningham, M. W.	12.00
Curtis, C. M.	12.00
Cushing, T. H.	12.00
Coldwell, E. L.	12.00
Conway, H. T.	12.00

Cole, J. A.	100
Church, Con	100
Collins, M. E.	100
Crusar, Mrs. S	100
Cliney, Mr. J	100
Cliney, Jennie	100
Cooper, M	100
Cole & Thorne	100
Clancy, M. H	100
Dav., Mrs. M	100
Dean, O. T	100
Duhamel, J.	100
Daniels, C. E.	100
Daniel, Mrs. L. B	100
Daniels, A. F	100
Dauplaise, G. L	100
Dunton, G. P	100
Dineen, D. Jr	100
Emerson, Mrs. C. W.	100
Ellis, E	100
Epstein, Samuel	100
Fuller, Mrs. Mary L.	100
Frink, Samuel	100
Frink, Herbert	100
Finkelstein, Max	100
Fanger, Max	100
Ferguson, Thomas	100
Forward Club	100
Grange Hall	100
Gately, Daniel	100
Gately, Margaret	100
George, Leon	100
Glas, L.	100

Holbrook, Miss E. R.	4.00
Holbrook, G. P.	14.00
Holbrook, Harry	19.00
Holbrook, W. H.	13.00
Holbrook, W. H. & Co.	15.00
Hill, Dr. E. L.	26.00
Hill, Mrs. S.	12.00
Hanson, Mrs. J. W.	9.35
Hosmer, H. E.	23.00
Herman Shoe Co.	489.20
Hoff, G. G.	13.00
Huntly, Miss L.	10.00
Hollander, T. C.	27.00
Harding, Frank S.	15.00
Hood, Mrs. C. F.	10.00
Holland, Mrs. S.	13.00
Hyde, Mrs. A. L.	2.00
Holden, F. E.	16.00
Himbeltarb, A.	10.00
Haggerty, Mrs.	12.00
Herman Club	8.00
Halpern, E.	13.00
Ingraham, Mrs. R. F.	17.00
Hotolla, M.	4.00
Jetterson, Mrs. S.	10.00
King, M. L.	14.00
King, Harry	11.00
King, Rudolph	5.00
Keele, Mrs. M.	8.00
Keele, P.	14.00
Keith, E. J.	10.00
Kerwin, Peter	13.00
LaCroix, Chas.	28.87

LaCroix, Edward	20	20
LaCroix, Louis	12	12
LaCroix, Chester	13	
Lovell, E. F.	2	2
Lindahl, F.	12	12
McMahon, Mrs. T	23	
Murphy, Daniel	13	
Murphy, D. J.	12	12
Mason, Mrs. E. F.	12	12
Mann, L. A.	12	12
Mann, R. W.	12	12
McDonald, James	12	12
Merrill, George	12	12
Mundy, Mrs. A. J.	12	12
MacLan, S.	12	12
Miller, Mrs. S.	12	12
McDonald, F. J.	12	12
Miller, C. H.	12	12
McCarty, T. J.	12	12
Mintbaugh, Mrs. M.	12	12
H. V. H. & H. R. F	12	12
Nourse, Mr. C.	12	12
Olsen, John	12	12
Oliver, D. B.	12	12
Payson, George	4	4
Pett, B. F.	2	2
Poor, W. T.	12	12
Parker, J. B.	16	16
Peek, F. M.	12	12
Phillips, Edward	12	12
Pope, Benj.	12	12
Rowell, W. D.	12	12
Richardson, E. F.	12	12
	85	85

Richardson, E. L.	13.00
Roach, Mrs. H. S.	12.00
Robert, Miss. M.	16.00
Robenowit, I.	20.00
Rosen, N.	13.00
Rosen, S.	1.00
Rosen, L.	7.00
Reardon, L. J.	13.00
Slatton, G. C.	6.00
Slayton, J. C. I.	6.882
Stone, Mrs. J.	13.00
Shepardson, G. K.	12.00
Stevens, C.	13.00
Shannon, J. H.	10.00
Skarp, W. M.	14.00
Saunder, L.	10.00
Swartman, Miss. F.	7.50
Smith, F. A.	1.00
Smith, John	2.00
Shay, W. M.	2.00
Snow, E. B.	22.00
Smith, C.	5.00
Thorne Bros.	1.00
Thorne, W. H.	13.00
Tenney, W. T.	13.00
Vankleek, W. L.	8.00
Woollett, Mrs. Est.	12.10
Whiting, Mrs. F. A.	1.00
Willard, Frank	7.00
West, M. J.	13.00
Wadburn, W. A.	14.00
Wade, H.	21.00
Ward, Miss. Ethel	2.00

Willis, A. A.	1.00
Wiegert, Herman	1.00
Waitz, M. A.	1.00
Wight, Fred	1.00
Whittemore	1.00
Wissenschaft, Dr. A.	1.00
Willard, B. C.	1.00
Zucker, H.	1.00

Interest	10.00
Gas oil	10.00
Polish and Linen	10.00

Bid for dredging	100.00
	100.00

Gas	8.40
Insurance on oil lines and equipment	1.00
Interest to Town Treasurer	1.00
Interest to H. H. H. 100.00	100.00
Paul	0.00
Sinking fund	1.00
Office expenses stamp and paper	2.00
C. E. Hollroad, engineer	2.00
J. LaCroix	0.00
Imperial and Robinson paid to H. H. H.	0.00
Hayden and Williams account	0.00
C. G. Holt Water Project	100.00

~~Amount~~

Various Repairs.

J. H. Shannon labor	\$12.50
Freight	1.00

National Meter Co., supplies	\$ 1.27
H. Mueller Co. " "	\$ 1.27
H. LaCroix,	\$ 1.30
Chadwick Boston Lead Co., supplies	\$ 1.26
Wildworth Mfg. Co.	22.60
Chapman Valve Co.	11.7
C. A. Willis, labor	2.0
H. E. White " "	8.00
H. LaCroix " "	22.20
Express	1.0
Geo. LaCroix, labor	3.0
C. E. Simpson	8.72
C. LaCroix,	1.0
M. LaCroix " "	8.72
Thorn, Dr.	12.57

\$ 127.5

Pumping Station

Express	2.00
Flight	1.5
Wildworth Mfg. Co., supplies	4.1
New England Iron Works, supplies	4.1
Underhay Oil Co., oil	21.00
Int. Steam Pump Co., supplies	25.00
Burt Store Co.	8.00
L. E. Lovell, labor	12.57
Crosby Steam Gage Co., supplies	14.07
F. LaCroix, labor	2.0
C. LaCroix,	1.0
Telephone	1.0
Thorn, Dr.	10.70

\$ 127.50

Mrs. R. P. Blake Extension.

National Meter Co.	\$ 27.30
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Waldorf, May 10,
F. L. Craig, W.
G. P. Hellbeck

Smith Connection.

F. L. Craig, W.
G. P. Hellbeck

McKenzie Connection

F. L. Craig, W.
G. P. Hellbeck
Theatre

Marion Bullard Connection

F. L. Craig, W.
G. P. Hellbeck

Blake Special.

Waldorf, May 10,

C. E. Simpson, W.
C. LaCroix
Flight
F. L. Craig, W.
National Marine
G. P. Hellbeck

Summary

Balance on hand last year	\$ 2,541.25
Amount received this year	2,700.00

———— \$ 4,241.25

Amount paid out	3432.95
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Amount on hand	5188.95
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G. G. HORN

Register

The account of Water Register examined and found
correct.

L. J. REAVISON

Auditor.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE REPORT.

Appropriation	\$100.00
Expenditures.	
Dalton Puglia band	\$10.00
Masters & Wells Mfg. Co. flags	6.75
Frederick A. Katzenmier	8.00
Roy K. Clark	5.3
L. F. Richardson	7.5
John R. Comley flower	7.00
Ladies' Social Club	2.50
Boys' Scout	1.50
G. W. Weeks	1.2
	9.44
 Balance	\$10.56

Respectfully submitted

RUDOLPH F. KING

ROY K. CLARK

L. F. RICHARDSON

Memorial Day Committee



~~JOHN LACROIX TREE WARDEN~~

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN.

Appropriation

Paid. \$150.00.

M. L. King	\$67.63
L. C. King	11.88
E. L. Coldwell	40.75
B. S. Pope	7.50
Chester LaCroix	.50
H. Wiggin	2.50
Thorne Bros.	7.25
L. LaCroix	11.99

\$150.00

LOUIS LACROIX.

Tree Warden.



The Cemetery Commissioners submit the following report:

Receipts from Trust Funds	\$183 93
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Expended as follows:

Lloyd King, labor	\$12 75
C. E. Simpson	12 65
Martin King	11 30
Everett Coldwell	11 10
J. Warren Clark	8 00
Lowell A. Mann	61 50
E. F. Richardson	42 90
Ed. LaCroix	1 00
Louis LaCroix	4 00
	— \$105 20

Balance on hand	\$18 73
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Trust Funds.

	Dividend	Balance
	Withdrawn.	on Deposit
Ann A. Hosmer fund		
1000 Northern Pacific Great Northern	\$40 00	\$960 00

Dedication of
Medway Banking Hall

Public Trust Funds
Medway Banking Hall Fund

£ \$
and the sum of

Medway Banking Hall

Private Trust Funds.

	£	\$
Joseph H. Dingley	1200	8000.00
Mark Lowell Jr.	100	700.00
Stephen A. Smith Jr.	100	700.00
William Huntington	100	700.00
Nathan Jones, Esq.	100	700.00
Jonathan Adams Jr.	100	700.00
Horace Jones, Jr.	100	700.00
Abigail and Lydia Huntington	100	700.00
Joseph and Letitia Huntington	100	700.00
Sylvann Bulfinch Jr.	100	700.00
Dean Walker Jr.	100	700.00
James L. Clegg Jr.	100	700.00

£ \$
and the sum of
and the sum of
and the sum of

Above securities examined and found correct.

L. J. REARDON,
Auditor.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I hereby certify that all accounts having to do with the expenditures of money, Sinking Funds, and Cemetery Trust Funds have been audited and found correct.

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE J. REARDON,
Auditor.

Millville, Mass., Jan. 25, 1917.

ASSESSOR'S REPORT.

Number of residents assessed on property	22
" non-residents	14
" polls	8
Value of real estate assessed	\$1,415.00
" personal estate assessed	415.00
Total value of assessed estate	1,830.00
State tax	- 1.4
County tax	1.25
Town grant	27.00
Rate per thousand	2
Total amount raised by taxation	52.65
Number of houses	11
Acres of land	7.25
Number of horses	17
" cows	17
" neat cattle	12
" sheep	12
" swine	15
" fowls	71
	76.00

Moises C. Adams

FRANK S. HAYFIELD

J. ALLEN COLE

Assessor



We present with pleasure the following report
of the Poor.

Receipts

Appleton,
Waukesha, N. W. H.

1874

Expenditures.

W. H. Hollis & Co. 1000	1000
Thorne Bros. 100	100
milk	25
P. F. Richardson 100	100

	X	X	
W. T. Burtt Co., groceries		\$1.46	
Thorne Bros., coal		1.25	
B. K. Post, milk		17.42	
Dr. E. L. Hill, medical attendance		—	
			\$21.13
	X	X	
Town of Franklin		\$1.25	
	X	X	
Town of Franklin, ad		\$1.00	
	X	X	
City of Boston, ad		\$1.00	
	X	X	
City of Newton, ad		\$1.00	
	X	X	
Town of Medway, ad		\$1.00	
	X	X	
E. L. Keith, groceries		\$1.00	
Thorne Bros., wood		—	
Mrs. A. White, rent		3.50	
Elmer L. Richardson, milk		—	
			\$6.50

Incidentals.

Dr. E. L. Hill	\$1.00
G. W. Woollett, printing	—
W. H. Thorne, expenses	2.00
F. S. Harding	—
	—
	\$4.00

Salaries.

H. H. Thorne	\$4.00
F. S. Harding	—
Dr. E. L. Hill	—
	—
	\$4.00

Summary.

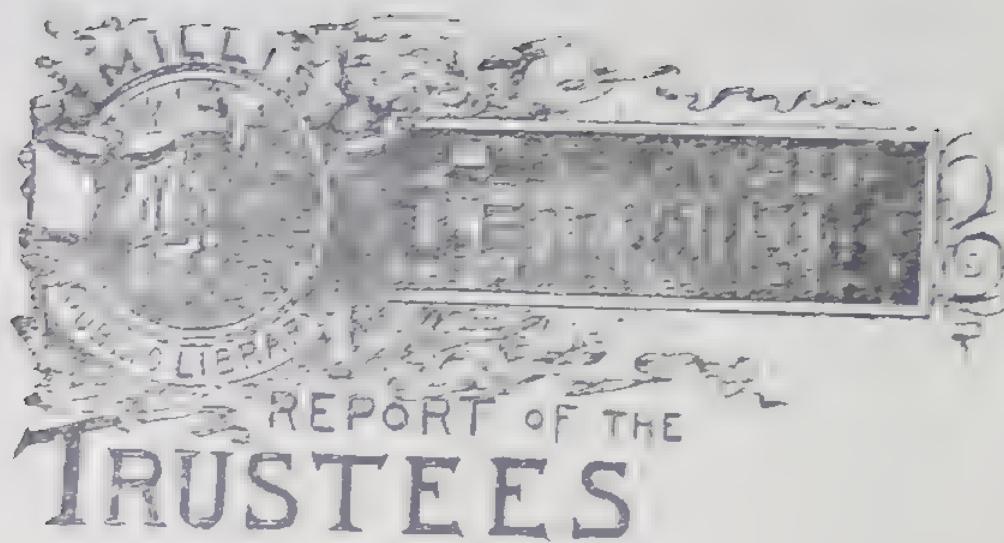
Receipts	\$1551.64
Expenditures	1307.78
Balanc	\$243.86

HERBERT H. THORNE,

FRANK S. HARDING,

ERNEST L. HILL,

Overseers of the Poor



unable to purchase any new
amount of having the books rebound.
The dues for the ensuing year on ac-
count of the Library is payable this
to state that the income from the dog
ago, and we recommend a
n for the Library in ad-

Receipts.

160.60
25.60

Expenditures.

Expenditures.	
— id Farquhar, binding	5180 48
Mrs. M. Day, Librarian	60 00
" supplies	2 60

H. W. Wilson & Co., magazines	4.00
Journal of American History	4.00
A. L. A. magazine	1.00
C. W. Woolvett, printing	3.00
Herman Goldberger, magazines	18.70
Porter L. Sargent, book	1.80
Frank Allen, labor	.75
Mass. magazine	10.00
H. H. Thorne, book	.50
Balance in town treasury	32.21
	\$117.44

Louis LaCroix,
Harriet H. Thorne
E. W. L. Adams,
Trustees.

REPORT OF GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTHS.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I find for the year 1890, that the gypsy moth damage is about the same as in 1889 on property under my control.

In the north and west sides of the town shade trees in large clusters surround the houses on the more elevated streets.

The cause of this great infestation in north and west side of town is caused by the caterpillars being carried by wind from heavily infested districts in town, to elms in Milldale place just over town line being tall trees in the hills.

The east and south sides of the town seem to have no caterpillars than for several years past.

I find that the gypsy moth damage is most heavy in woodlands. The town kept the sprayer in the woods this year.

I also find that the brown tail moth are very scarce.

All the woodlot deciduous and shade trees which the GYPSY moth feed on, we sprayed with arsenic or lead arsenate.

The new spraying machine is doing good work and saving the town at least \$2 per day running expenses. It takes a lot of time and labor.

Appropriation	\$587.07
Assessments, Assessors' returns	617.73
Returns for material and labor	23.52
Relate on lead Mannix Chemical Co., 1915	3.86
Rental of spraying machine	30.00
	- \$1254.06
E. L. Coldwell, labor	\$255.98
" material supplied	29.71
" horse hire	72.88
Lloyd King, labor	61.13
Martin King, "	69.77
" material supplied	2.80
" rental of stable	10.00
Chestet L. LaCroix, labor	27.88
George LaCroix, "	21.57
Ralph Choate, "	31.25
Nesbit Clark, "	19.25
Entom. Dep't, spraying machine and equipment	326.58
T. L. Welch Co., springs for sprayer	14.00
Commonwealth of Mass., arsenate of lead	278.20
J. H. Shannon, labor and material sup- plied	22.87
Fitzgerald & Co., nails	14.00
W. H. Holbrook & Co., material supplied	6.40
G. W. Woolcott, printing	4.00
G. M. Billings, advertising	10.80
	- \$1262.26
Balanc'e	86.80

Re: pe truly submitted,

EDWARD L. COLDWELL,

Moth Superintendent.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Water Commissioners for sinking and intercepting and stocking and interest	100.00
Commonwealth of Mass. corporation for public service	100.00
Commonwealth corporation for National Bank in	200.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	178.40
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	144.00
J. C. Thorne taxes	10.00
Interest account	10.00
Total	652.40

Expenditures

Liabilities.

E. F. RICHARDSON
Town Treasurer.

The book of the Treasurer audited and found correct
Balance in Delhi in National bank in name of the Town of
Mills.

LAWRENCE J. REARDON,
Auditor

ENGINEER'S REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT

Fates in *Phillis*

1. *Leucosia* *leucosia* (L.) *leucosia* (L.) *leucosia* (L.)

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Fires in Rockville

Methodology and Materials

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J. POLYMER SCIENCE: PART A

THE HISTORICAL JOURNAL

Apr. 1.	Stewart, Rockville	19.75
	Pay roll	93.50
	Estate of P. A. Waite	25.99
May 1.	Pay roll, Millis	44.72
	Ethelbert Simpson, junior	1.24
	Millard LaCroix	2.81
	Frank Hamm	2.20
Aug. 1	Cornelius Callahan Co	6.00
	Elmer A. Lord & Co	1.00
	Edison Elec. Ill. Co	1.00
	Cochrane Chemical Co	1.10
Nov. 3	G. G. Hoff	1.75
Dec. 1.	Walter A. Collins	1.20
	Edison Elec. Ill. Co	1.20
	Burtt Store Co	2.10
	Rhoda E. Waite	
	E. J. Keith	
	Edward E. Finner	1.00
	G. G. Hoff	
Dec. 10.	J. H. Shannon	3.20
	Thorne Bros	
	Elmer A. Lord & Co	
	United States Rubber Co	
	G. W. Woolver	
	E. E. Lovell	
	Chas. LaCroix	
	engineer	12.00
	forest warden	10.00
	J. C. Thorne engineer	12.00
	forest warden	10.00
	A. K. P. Barton engineer	12.00
	forest warden	10.00
		\$24.00
	Balance	10.84

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The engineers recommend the sum of one thousand dollars for the ensuing year.

CHARLES L. GROVE,
J. G. GREENE, THOMAS
A. BARTON

Engineers

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Dr.

To warrants	\$32,985.34
Moth tax	617.73
Excise tax	412.77
Interest	0.68
	— \$33,154.92

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By amount paid treasurer	\$32,998.07
Abatements	249.85
	— \$33,145.92

Respectfully submitted,

J. CLARENCE THORNE,

Collector.

Milb. Jan. 17, 1917.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS.

Appropriation	\$1,000.00
State Highway	400.00
Street Railways	400.00
State tax on street rail.	200.00

Transferred to Main street account

Scraping and cleaning up	\$225.00
Auburn street	25.00
Pleasant "	15.00
Main street - P. C. bridge	10.00
Village street - P. C. bridge	10.00
Forest road	10.00
Black Swamp	10.00
Wight street	10.00
Dover "	62.00
Dover " - bridge	10.00
Road drag	10.00
Causway street	10.00
Middlesex "	10.00
Holliston and Sherborn road - P. C. bridge	80.00
Union street	10.00
Union street	10.00
Baltimore bridge	10.00

Bridge, Ridge street	42 10
Williams bridge	54 51
Dwight "	16 00

Rockville District.

Stripping and pitching	106 00
Repairing iron bridge	3 56
Pleasant street graveling	141 45
" and Village streets graveling	126 70
C. A. Willis	18 33
	\$2138 14

Main Street Special.

Appropriation	\$1000 00
Taken from excise tax	570 94
State appropriation	1574 83
County appropriation	1574 83
	—
	\$4719 70

Men	\$1101 35
Teams	1947 50
Superintendent	177 00
Trap rock	555 30
Tarvia	253 10
Engineer	69 75
Gravel	112 50
Freight	141 00
Coal	24 25
Posts	9 40
J. A. Cole	50 90
J. H. Shannon	7 90
Sundries	12 00
Oil	63 00
Oil paid by state	1094 75
	—
	\$4719 70

Plain Street Spec. \$

Appropriation	
Men	8.00
Team	2.00
Superintendent	
Gasol	
J. H. Shuster.	

Sidewalks. \$

Appropriation	
Rockville	10.00
Curr. street	10.00
Spring	10.00
Living	10.00
Main	10.00

Bridge. \$

I would recommend the following appropriation for rock and bridge work, and for \$1000 for sidewalks and fence. Put a walk on Main and Main Street, and a fence on Main Street.

J. C. KIRK, *Superintendent*

Superintendent - *signed*

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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Superintendent of Schools

TOWN OF MILLIS

1916-1917

Fiscal Year Ending December 31st, 1916

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

J. CLARENCE THORNE, Chairman.

J. ALLEN COLE, Secretary.
EDWARD LACROIX.

Temporary Vice-Chairman.

John
H. C.
H. C.
H. C.

Superintendent of Schools,
ALBERT S. AMES, Harvard College.

School Physician,
ERNEST L. HILL, M. D.

Attendance Officer,
W. H. THORNE.

Janitors,
CHESTER LACROIX.

HORACE RIPP.

Teachers.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Grades.

		Where Educated	Salary
High	John J. Howard, B. S., Prin. Ruth E. Clinord, A. B. Lucia A. Howard, A. B. Sarah J. McLaughlin, Comm.	Fresno, Calif. Danville, Calif. Salem, N. H. Salem, N. H.	\$1200 \$1200 \$1200 \$1200
VII-VIII	Catherine Quinn.	Framingham Normal School.	
VI-VII	Annabelle Sylvester		

ADAMS SCHOOL

IV-V.	Allie E. Warner.	Framingham Normal School.	\$600
II-III.	Ada Holt.		
IB-IA.	Mildred L. Mitchell.	Salem Normal School.	\$600

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

IV-AII	Bernice Goodwin,	Halifax Academy,	500.00
IV-BIII	Ida Goldman,	Salem Normal School	450.00

TEACHER OF DRAWING AND MANUAL ARTS.

Helen M. Allan,	Mass. Normal Art School,	170.00
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SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC.

Carriebell E. Thayer	Northampton Institute	100.00
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REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The following is the amount of all money received and expended by the School Committee, for educational purposes, from Jan. 1, 1870 to Dec. 31, 1871.

Receipts.

Appropriated by the town	1,125.00
Payment from State (High School Fund)	1,125.00
Income of State School Fund	1.00
Payment from State (Sup't. of Schools Fund)	1.00
Tuition paid by out of town people	11.00
Sales by Mr. M. J. West	1.00

General Control.

J. C. Thorne	1.00
E. LaCroix	1.00
J. A. Cole	1.00

Superintendence.

M. J. West	1.00
A. S. Ames	1.00

Supervisors.

Catharine E. Thayer	1.00
Helen M. Allen	1.00

Principal and Teachers, High School.

J. J. Howard	1270.00
Sarah J. McLaughlin	515.00
Helen E. Hearsey	324.00
Carrie T. Foulkes	330.00
Ruth E. Clifford	210.00
Lucia A. Howard	220.00
	—
	2586.00

Principal and Teachers, Elementary

Violet H. Barnes	278.50
Vera E. Simonds	140.00
Bernice Goodwin	52.64
Eliz J. Goldman	470.00
Alice A. Forbes	0.00
Clara S. Sawyer	275.00
Alice E. Warner	482.00
Edith C. Polechio	2.60
Mildred L. Mitchell	458.36
Catherine Quinn	200.00
Amirthelle Sylvester	182.40
Ada Holt	172.40
Wimsted Woodman	2.00
Ethel F. Wood	14.00
Madeleine Flood	28.8
Helen Quirk	15.00
Hannah Herthel	10.00
	—
	2330.12

Text-books, High.

American Book Co.	26.98
Ella E. Babb & Co.	91.54
Houghton Mifflin Co.	2.05
MacMillan Co.	22.00
J. L. Hammett & Co.	1.16

Oliver Ditson Co.	1 54
Photographic Institute	7 11
Ginn & Co.	10 73

Text Books, Elementary.

Allyn and Bacon	11 52
American Book Co.	1 12
Lyons & Carnahan	4 10
Charles Scribner's Sons	1 10
Ginn & Co.	2 12
Atkinson Mentzner & Co.	4 10
Longmans Green & Co.	10 10
Charles E. Merrill Co.	1 10
Rand, M. Nally & Co.	1 10
J. L. Hammett & Co.	1 12
MacMillan Co.	2 12
Houghton Mifflin Co.	1 17
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co.	2 12

115 44

Stationery and Supplies

L. E. Knott App. Co.	4 50
Ginn & Co.	1 17
G. W. Woollett	1 2
Wright & Potter Fig. Co.	1 50
J. L. Hammett Co.	2 10
W. H. Holbrook & Co.	1 10
Clancy & Hoff	1 10
Underwood Typewriter Co.	1 10
W. H. Thorne	2 2
Adams & Bucknell	2 10
G. G. Hoff	1 15
Jordan Marsh Co.	1 2

F. W. Martin	1.25
J. C. Thorne	3.25
	— 244.95

Promotion of Health.

Dr. E. L. Hill	50.00
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Janitors.

S. H. Fink	350.00
Horace Hurd	136.00
Chester LaCroix	220.00
	— 705.00

Fuel.

Thorne Bros.	974.93
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New Equipment.

H. L. Sterns Desk Co.	15.00
Underwood Typewriter Co.	107.00
	— 122.00

Maintenance.

Edison Electric Ill. Co.	12.75
Thorne Bros.	77.65
J. H. Shannon	7.00
E. F. Lovell	64.87
J. A. Cole	57.37
C. LaCroix	3.00
Underhay Oil Co.	26.25
I. LaCroix	16.00
Eugene Gadding	2.00
Adams & Ricknell	1.75
E. M. Leland	5.30
P. S. Hunt	2.00
	— 275.94

Miscellaneous.

Carter Rice & Co.	12.25
W. H. Holbrook & Co.	11.49

Thorne Bros.	7
Roche-Daly Co.	7
J. W. Clark	7
Mr. Henry Owen	7
American B. & G. Co.	7
W. S. Clark	7
W. H. Thorne	7
C. F. Simpson	7
M. J. West	7
Massey Young Co.	7
E. F. Richardson	7
Burnt Store Co.	7
W. M. Quinlan	7
J. A. Cole	7
Chas. McDonnell	7
G. W. Woollett	7
G. M. Billings	7
C. S. Binnion Co.	7
L. J. Reardon	7

Expended.

Appropriation	7
General Central	7
Teaching	7
Text-books	7
Stationery and supplies	7
Promotion of Health	7
Janitor Service	7
Fuel	7
New Equipment	7
Maintenance	7
Miscellaneous	7

Appropriation exceeded

04-94

10666.00

Transportation.

Appropriation	1230.00
M. Cunningham & Sons	875.00
Otto Brushink	150.00
A. D. Angelis	70.00
Millard & Uxbridge St. Ry	212.50
Stanley Clark	3.00
A. Hindtara	7.00
	1033.00
Balance unexpended	196.50
	1230.00

Tinting High School Rooms.

Appropriation	2500.00
Expended	
I. F. Lovell	2500.00

High School Reference Books.

Appropriation	200.00
Expended--	
Phonographic Institute Co.	2.30
Ginn & Co.	13.50
Benjamin H. Sanborn	7.75
D. C. Heath & Co.	7.95
Houghton Mifflin Co.	5.75
American Book Co.	15.55
Edw. E. Babb & Co.	34.50
Thomas Nelson & Sons	64.80
G. & C. Merriam Co.	10.80
W. E. Laurit Co.	1.50

Allen & Bacon

6. 24	17. 52
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Balance unexpended

-7. 44

State School Fund.

Income from State School Fund

17. 52

Expended

J. J. Howard

2. 10

Carriebelle E. Thayer

1. 70

Helen M. Allan

1. 70

Underwood Typewriter Co.

1. 70

Rand McNally Co.

1. 70

H. L. Stearns Desk Co.

1. 70

L. E. Knott App. Co.

1. 70

Summary of receipts

117. 52

Summary of expenditure

105. 74

Balance unexpended

11. 78

The following account of money expended during the
fiscal year from January 1, 1917 to December 31, 1917.

Supervision and control	\$1.00
Teachers	7.00
Text-books	7.00
Supplies	7.00
Janitors	11.00
Fuel	11.50
Repairs	2.00
Health	2.00
New Equipment	2.00
Miscellaneous	2.00
Less estimated receipts from outside sources	-\$11.52
	1.48
	—
	\$11.52

Less estimated receipts from outside sources

-\$11.52

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The Committee estimates that the sum of \$1230.00 will also be required for the transportation of pupils during the fiscal year from January 1, 1917, to December 31, 1917.

The Committee reports that the interior of the Ellice School has been painted, also a number of small but much needed repairs made.

Two more typewriters and desks have been procured for the Commercial department of the High School.

The Committee feels that more attention should be given to laying the foundation for a business career, and less time to preparation for a classical education, which the majority will never get.

The prudential affairs connected with the schools have been managed with such a regard to the welfare of the scholars, as the means at hand would admit, and the Committee have borne in mind that strict economy is required; but demands are constantly arising which calls for outlay, some of which cannot always be foreseen.

We feel that the schools were never in a better or more prosperous condition, and a large majority of the pupils seem to show a decided interest in their work. The Committee have used their best judgment to improve and elevate the schools; we secure the best teachers at our command, and our desire is to retain the services of good teachers as long as possible, for we find that frequent changes usually prove detrimental. The daily intercourse of the pupils with noble minded, conscientious teachers does much to attain the desired end for which our public schools exist.

In this report the Committee would call attention to the need of greater interest on the part of parents in the schools, and hope they will acquire the habit of visiting them often and see for themselves what is being done. Intelligent criticism is always welcome. What interest can scholars or teachers manifest when parents are indifferent? These chil-

children are your children. You ought to take a personal and painstaking part in their training. It is a great stimulus to teachers when parents are the best of parents. Let them know it, and make it known that they know and appreciate good teaching and will insist upon having it. The people of the community will always be just as good as the parents demand, no better, no worse.

Generally, our teachers are kind and patient, and perform their duties with conscientious effort. Most people generously supply funds needed for school purposes. Hence their present condition and future prospects are encouraging.

Keep truly informed.

J. C. Tupper, Chairman.

J. A. Clark, Vice-Chairman.

E. L. Elmer.

Franklin, N. H.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the School Committee of Millis:

There has been no special change in the organization and management of the schools during the past term.

The following statistics indicate conditions as regards membership, attendance, etc.

Respectfully submitted

ALBERT S. AMES

Superintendent.

Statistics.

Total membership for the year 1915-1916	327
Number enrolled in other schools of the state first	20
Number over sixteen years of age—boys and girls, 14:	
total	23
Number between five and sixteen—boys, 154; girls, 134:	
total	288
Number between five and seven—boys, 28; girls, 21:	
total	49
Number between seven and fourteen—boys, 47; girls, 87:	
total	133
Number between fourteen and sixteen—boys, 26; girls,	
23; total	43

Membership by grades Dec. 31, 1916.

VI. to VIII. IX. to XII.

58	57	Total—115
Adams Building		
I	II.	III.
31	23	13
IV.	V	
23	20	
		Total

Eye and Ear Test.									
I	II	III	IV	V	VI	7	8	9	10
9	5	6	7	7	6	7	7	7	7

Whole number

Eye and Ear Test.

Number of pupils tested

Number found defective in one eye

Number found defective in both eyes

Number of patients and guardians in eye

APPENDIX I. SHIFT 2, 1917, THE JOHN DEERE.

School	Classes	Total hours	Total membership	Average membership	Attendance	Per cent of attendance
High	IX-XII	John J. Howard	55.6	51.7	93.4	
"	"	Carrie T. Foulkes				
"	"	Helen L. Heansay				
"	"	Sarah J. McLanahan				
"	"	Alice A. Forbes	41	36.3	33.2	91.1
"	"	Clara Sawyer	34	31.2	27.6	94.3
"	"	Allie E. Warner	40	35.4	32.5	90.5
Adams	IV-V	Edith C. Poleck	57.4	54.4	51.4	91.9
"	VI-VII	Mildred L. Mit. Hall	41	36.1	31.6	87.6
"	"	Violet H. Barnes	32	31.1	29.1	93.4
Ellice	IV-VII	Ida J. Goldman	30	26.7	24.3	91.1
"	"	Totals	527	289.3	265.4	97.1

PROMOTIONS FROM GRADE VIII TO HIGH SCHOOL JUNE, 1916

- 1—Fairfield Dean.
- 2—John Carter.
- 3—Parker Collier.
- 4—Henry Bronster.
- 5—Mary Duff.
- 6—Samuel Fawcett.
- 7—Ellen Horan.
- 8—Edna Gustafson.
- 9—Fannie Irvin.
- 10—Gladys Oliver.
- 11—Kenneth Mann.
- 12—Ruth Richardson.
- 13—Marjorie Pittfield.
- 14—Rose Rosen.
- 15—William Wright.
- 16—Mary Moran.
- 16—William Mann by examination.
- 17—Caroline Porter by examination.

GRADUATION EXERCISES
IN THE
MILLIS HIGH SCHOOL
AT THE
Congregational Church
Friday Evening, June 23, 1916
Res Non Verba.

CLASS ROLL

May Genieve Richardson

Rosabel Stevens Thrasher

Gertrude Anna Stevens

Mary Alena LaCroix

George Nesbit Clark

PROGRAM

Music—a Selected.

—b Selected.

Processional.

Invocation

Rev. A. B. MacLeod.

Essay, with Salutatory

Gertrude Anna Stevens.

Song—*A Midsummer Night's Dream*

School Chorus

Class History

May Genieve Richardson

Class Prophecy

Mary Alena LaCroix

Song—Morning Invitation

School Chorus

Essay, with Valedictory

Rosabel Steiner, Thesis
Presentation of Class Gift

May, Genieve Richard,
Acceptance for School

Violet Clark
Music - Selected

Orchestra
Presentation of Diploma

J. Clarence Thorne
Chairman of the School Committee
Song - Anchored

School Chorus
Music - Selected

Orchestra

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING.

Millis, Mass. January 1, 1911.

Mr. Amos, Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith present my third report of the work in drawing in the Millis public schools.

In the plan of work for the grades the usual subjects of Representative Drawing, Mechanical Drawing, Design, and Color study have been followed. The lessons are graded and constant effort is made to present them in ways that will be most interesting and helpful.

The High School has one drawing class consisting of the first year pupils. A course of work planned for them includes Representative Drawing in pencil, Mechanical Drawing, and a study of House Planning and Decorating.

Much of the success of the work in the grades depends on the regular teachers, and I appreciate their help and interest in following the plans.

Respectfully submitted,

HILLEN M. ALLAN,

Supervisor of Drawing

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC.

Mr. A. S. Ames, Supervisor of Music:

I herewith submit my annual report on music in the public schools.

The plan of work laid down for this year is similar to that of former years. We are now in the opinion that music is a cultural subject. When it is well studied in the schools, we believe, it is of great educational and intellectual value, and of great interest.

Nearly every subject studied in the schools, reading, writing, drawing, spelling, etc., etc., is taught more or less in the cult of music, and it is important to concentration and mental discipline, other subjects.

With very few exceptions, we find any normal boy or girl in the schools, who is doing average work, doing an average music work.

The success of our work depends greatly upon the cooperation of the teachers in the schools in their daily work with the pupils. I wish to commend them for their appreciation of their duty, and the furthering of the work.

Respectfully submitted,
CARROLL L. THOMAS,

Supervisor of Music.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL.

To the Superintendent of Schools:

In submitting this, my first annual report as principal of the Millis High School, I desire to heartily commend the sincerity of the teachers in their earnest efforts to maintain the scholastic standing of the school, and to enthuse into the life of the scholars that earnestness of purpose requisite for true and honest work leading to better manhood and womanhood.

Perhaps no one thing stands forth so plainly in our school relationship as the apparent lack of interest on the part of parents of our school children. People in general seem incredibly careless and heedless in respect to the education of the young. Having started them at a tender age in the primary school, they apparently await with assuring assumption that in due time they will come forth from our schools finished products as it were. Nothing could be more erroneous. Parental cooperation is a necessity. The teacher, caring for a large number of pupils, varying in age, ability, disposition and home training is burdened with tremendous responsibilities and duties. She appreciates all encouragement offered. Children are inspired by the visits of parents, teachers are encouraged and parents enlightened in the work being done by the schools, are better able to aid the teacher in calling forth the very best efforts of the pupil. We live in an age of cooperation, and I am sure that nothing but the very best results can accrue from a closer relationship between the parent and the school.

The attendance, while not seriously bad, offers room for great improvement. Instances might be cited where absense

are apparently unimportant. Every parent should strive earnestly to have his child in school during every year. Absence should be permitted only where circumstances absolutely demand it. Continued absence fosters a spirit of indifference in the pupil and prevents his becoming a complete and knowledgeable person.

The matter of punctuality needs a great deal of careful thought and attention. The number of days a pupil is absent is too large. The matter of failing to improve and to be permitted to continue leads to serious results. I would, therefore, that all parents cooperate with the school in avoiding this trouble from our school.

I cannot refrain from calling your attention to the new system as followed out in the High School. The plan of the High School is briefly stated thus: A pupil must pass English to be required of each year. English is taught in six subjects which constitute the work for the year. Six units are required for graduation. Each subject should be listed year and satisfactorily completed during the due year. No credit is given in either driving or music for graduation. Pupils are not required to repeat any subject which they may have failed with the exception of English. As a result pupils sometimes reach their senior year in the High School only to find some subject, long since forgotten, standing between them and graduation. They are then compelled to repeat the subject or to take up some other subject, not from a standpoint of benefit to be reviewed but as a means of securing a sufficient number of units to permit them to graduate.

The plan as outlined above has the good feature of offering a great many subjects from which the pupil may choose and it would work admirably if the teaching force was large. In our schools, under the conditions as existing, the plan

does not work to advantage. In many cases it has been the cause of depriving pupils of work they should have and are interested in and compelling them to take work in which they have comparatively little interest. In other cases it allows the pupil to follow out the line of least resistance which in itself is a serious matter. It is the opinion of the faculty that the present plan is not the best one for the school. It is suggested that the present subjects offered be grouped under three curricula, the college preparatory, general and commercial. At the close of the year pupils after conferring with parents may be permitted to select the course they wish to follow and not the subjects as at present. It is felt, that in a short time, with the plan as suggested in operation, conditions would be better and pupils could be held to a stricter account for the work they are carrying out. Pupils who expect to follow out life work in commercial pursuits would then adhere strictly to that course throughout their four years in high school, and other pupils would do similarly the work which would best fit them for the work they hope to follow when their high school course is brought to a close.

At the last town meeting, the voters of the town appropriated a certain sum of money to be used for the purchase of reference books for the high school. The wisdom of this cannot be too highly realized, and I trust as more books are needed, it will be possible to add to the library, which now consist of about two hundred volumes. Among the books purchased and added to the library, the following are representative:

1	American Poems	Long
1	Business Law	Parson
3	British Poets of the 19th Century	Page
1	Bulfinch's Age of Fable	Bulfinch
3	Civics and Health	Allen

1	Classic Myths in English Literature	Gayley
3	Chief American Poets	Page
1	Dictionary of Classical Illusions	
1	Experimenting in Chemistry of Common Thing	Brownlee
1	First Course in Chemistry	McPherson and Henderson
1	Financial History	Dewey
6	French Dictionary	Heath
1	English-Latin and Latin-English Dictionary	White
1	Choice Readings from Popular Authors	
		Fulton and Trueblood
1	How to Write the Short Story	Baldwin
1	Elementary Biology	Peabody and Hunt
2	Chemistry of Common Things	Brownlee
1	History of French Literature	Doumic
1	Introduction to Poetry	Allen
1	Judd's Psychology of High School Subjects	Judd
5	Lessons for Junior Citizens	Hill
1	Latin Dictionary	Harpér
3	Legends of the Middle Ages	Guerber
1	Lippincott's Gazeteer	Heilprin
3	Myths of Greece and Rome	Guerber
3	Myths of Northern Lands	Guerber
1	Malory Morte D'Arthur	Malory
1	Methods of Teaching in High School	Parker
1	Nelson's Loose Leaf Encyclopedia, 12 vol.	Nelson
1	Pure Food	Olson
1	Public Speaker	Shurter
1	Phougraphic Dictionary	Pitman and Howard
3	Private Life of the Romans	
1	Old World Hero Stories	Tappan
1	Reporters Companion	
1	Reading in Ancient History	Dauis
1	Rise of the New West	Turner

1	The Modern High School	Johnston
1	The State	Wilson
1	Test Questions in Commercial Law	Williams and Rogers
1	Shakespeare as a Dramatic Artist	Moulton
2	Webster's International Dictionary	Webster
1	Who's Who in America	A. N. Marquis & Co.

I would also suggest that a great many supplementary readers be purchased and placed in the various grade rooms. I feel that would be an incentive to better work, and also be a means of inculcating in the minds of pupils a desire for good literature.

In closing, I wish to express my appreciation to the Superintendent for his many helpful suggestions and to the parents and friends of the school for their kindly interest and attitude. Also, I wish to thank all the pupils who have endeavored, through earnestness in the class room, and through their spirit of fair play in their sports and other activities, to give our school a name of which we may all be lustily proud.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. HOWARD,

Principal.

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